

The embodiments of the invention in which an exclusive property or privilege is claimed are defined as follows:

1. A computer-readable medium having a computer-executable component for enabling a user to access healthcare information, the computer-executable component comprising:

an anatomic user interface for displaying an anatomic model from which the user selects an anatomic structure of interest, wherein, upon selection of the anatomic structure, the anatomic user interface displays the healthcare information, wherein the healthcare information comprises medical history information for a patient including healthcare service order information, medical event information and medical encounter information.

2. The computer-readable medium of Claim 1, wherein the healthcare service order information comprises a treatment plan for a patient consisting of a predetermined sequence of healthcare service orders.

3. The computer-readable medium of Claim 1, having a further computer-executable component comprising an order engine for submitting an order for at least one healthcare service to a service provider.

4. The computer-readable medium of Claim 3, wherein the order engine submits a plurality of orders comprising a treatment plan to a service provider.

5. The computer-readable medium of Claim 3, wherein the order engine automatically notifies the user in real-time if the order is accepted by the service provider or if the authorization for the order is received from the payor.

6. The computer-readable medium of Claim 3, wherein the order identifies the at least one healthcare service, a medical event associated with the healthcare service and at least one medical encounter associated with the at least one healthcare service.

7. A method for accessing healthcare information for a patient, the method comprising:

displaying an anatomic model of the patient;

using the anatomic model to drill down to and select an anatomic structure of the patient; and

displaying healthcare information associated with the selected anatomic structure, wherein the healthcare information comprises medical history information for a patient including healthcare service order information, medical event information and medical encounter information.

8. The method of Claim 7, wherein the healthcare service order information comprises a treatment plan for a patient consisting of a predetermined sequence of healthcare service orders.

9. The method of Claim 7, further comprising submitting an order for at least one healthcare service to a service provider.

10. The method of Claim 9, further comprising submitting a plurality of orders comprising a treatment plan to a service provider.

11. The method of Claim 9, further comprising automatically notifying the user in real-time if the order is accepted by the service provider or if the authorization for the order is received from the payor.

12. The method of Claim 7, wherein the order identifies the at least one healthcare service, a medical event associated with the healthcare service and at least one medical encounter associated with the at least one healthcare service.

13. A system for accessing healthcare information comprising:
a user computer operative to:
display an anatomic model of the patient;
enable the user to drill down to and select an anatomic structure of the patient from a higher-level anatomic model; and
display healthcare information associated with the selected anatomic structure; and
an application server operative to:
receive the selected anatomic structure from the user computer; and
provide the user computer with the healthcare information associated with the selected anatomic structure for display, wherein the healthcare information

comprises medical history information for a patient including healthcare service order information, medical event information and medical encounter information.

14. The system of Claim 13, wherein the healthcare service order information comprises a treatment plan for a patient consisting of a predetermined sequence of healthcare service orders.

15. The system of Claim 13, wherein the application server is further operative to submit an order for at least one healthcare service to a service provider.

16. The system of Claim 15, wherein the application server is further operative to submit a plurality of orders comprising a treatment plan to a service provider.

17. The system of Claim 15, wherein the application server is further operative to automatically notify the user in real-time if the order is accepted by the service provider or if the authorization for the order is received from the payor.

18. The system of Claim 13, wherein the order identifies the at least one healthcare service, a medical event associated with the healthcare service and at least one medical encounter associated with the at least one healthcare service.